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dest, pastor.

BOISE, IDAHO.

By Vera Allen Smith.

A very sad occurrence happened to the small race colony of Boise last week, Tuesday, January 7, 1919. A dinner was given by Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Smith of South Boise and as a result on Wednesday afternoon Mr. Smith died of what is thought to be ptomaine poison, caused by canned asparagus, about thirty minutes later Mrs. Smith succumbed. At an early hour Thursday morning one of the guests at the dinner, Mrs. Clara Schuchard Hubbard died and Mrs. Ridge died on Friday morning from the same defect. Their funerals were attended Sunday, January 12th, by Revs. W. R. Hardy, E. D. Washington, King and Holmes (white) of the Presbyterian church, and Mr. R. B. Smith has been on the sick list for five weeks but seems to be recovering. Mr. P. J. Allen of Tennessee had quite a delightful visit in this city with his daughter, Mrs. Vera Allen Smith.

CENTRALIA, ILL.

The eight days' meeting held in the Kicks A. M. E. Zion church, conducted by the Rev. Mary Tivis of Kansas City, Mo. (better known as the baby preacher), was a grand success. Many hearts were made to rejoice and a number added to the church. The people of Centralia are greatly impressed with Rev. Sister Tivis. The Bethel A. M. E. church, of which Rev. Huff is pastor, has secured Rev. Tivis to conduct a meeting for them in the spring. A neat little purse and a number of presents were given to Rev. Tivis as a token of appreciation.

ROSEDALE, KANS.

Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Pearson gave an elaborate dinner party Saturday evening complimentary to Mr. and Mrs. Jerry Ferguson and Mrs. Hallie Bell. Covers were laid for ten guests. Mrs. Alma Sayers presided at the piano and an enjoyable evening was spent. The color scheme of purple and white was beautifully carried out in the dining room. Mrs. Hallie Bell and Mr. and Mrs. Jerry Ferguson left Sunday morning for Homestead, Pa., to spend the winter. The Pleasant Valley Mission Circle met with Mrs. Walter Henderson, Monday. This meeting the election of officers was held. Mrs. Georgia Watson was elected president, Mrs. Permelia Collins, vice president; Mrs. Minnie Pearson, secretary; Mrs. Ardella Moore, assistant secretary; Mrs. Fatima Moore was re-elected treasurer and Miss Edith Simpson was re-elected chaplain. Other officers elected were: Mrs. Lillian Scholter, chairman of the modiste committee, and Mrs. Jessie Douglas, chairman of the sick committee. The Pleasant Hour Art Club met with Mrs. James Riley, Thursday afternoon, and was entertained by Mrs. Nelson Smith. Four visitors were present and dainty refreshments were served by the hostess.

MACON, MO.

(By Mrs. A. R. Fox.)

Word was received here of the death of Mr. Harry Majors of Pueblo, Colo., a former resident of this place. Death was due to influenza. The body was brought to Macon for burial accompanied here by his mother and father. His wife, who will be known here as Miss Ruth Perkins, was unable to come as she also is very sick with influenza. The funeral services took place Tuesday afternoon at the cemetery conducted by Revs. Underwood and Fox. The deceased was a member of St. James A. M. E. church of Pueblo. He leaves to mourn his loss, a wife, a sixteen months old daughter, a father, mother, two brothers who are with the American forces in France, and a host of other relatives and friends. The Sewing Circle of Bethel A. M. E. church was very beautifully entertained by the president, Mrs. Susie Trice, last Friday afternoon. There were about sixteen ladies present and after the working hour a very delicious luncheon was served. Mrs. Rosa Perkins was called to Pueblo on the account of the illness of her step-daughter, Mrs. Ruth Perkins-Majors. Mr. Mae Burton, who has been ill for sometime at the home of his parents, passed away last Monday morning. Funeral services were held at Bethel A. M. E. church Wednesday afternoon conducted by Rev. A. R. Fox. He leaves to mourn his loss a father, mother, an adopted brother, several cousins and a host of friends. Rev. P. C. Crews spent last Sunday in Palmyra, the guest of Rev. R. Johnson. The younger folk are rehearsing for a drama under the direction of Mrs. A. R. Fox, which she expects to present in the near future, entitled "Home Ties."

NORBORNE, MO.

Sallie Spencer, the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. B. J. Spencer, died January 17th, at her home at 1:30 o'clock. She was an active member of the A. M. E. church and also a student of Douglass school. Sallie was very useful in this community and will be greatly missed by all.

A precious one from us has gone.

A voice we loved is stilled.

A place is vacant in our town,

Which never can be filled.

Our society has honored the race's best writer by giving it his name, Braithwaite. Prof. Home was in Kansas City this week. It is hoped that all pupils in room No. 1 will learn and give the school yell when requested by the teachers.

NEWTON, KANS.

Rev. Brown held his first quarterly meeting at Holsey Chapel, C. M. E. church, Sunday, with marked success. Total collection for the day was \$32.32. Mr. Orlando Coleman has returned home from Camp Meredith, having been discharged from army service. Mrs. Mattie Ridley, who is sick in bed, is slowly improving. Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Ridley returned home from Strong City on the 16th, where they spent the 15th with her parents. Rev. J. E. Toomer of Wichita spent Sunday in Newton. Rev. Inyard of the A. M. E. church, preached the sacramental sermon at the C. M. E. church, Sunday. Mr. Le Paige, who has been very sick in the hospital, is able to be out. Mrs. B. Henderson was called to Holey, Okla., on account of the death of her sister. Mrs. Le Paige is able to be out again after a short illness. Mr. Harvey Young, who has been on the sick list, is able to be out again.

HELENA, MONT.

(By J. E. W. Clarke.)

"Recall to mind the heavier trials of others, that you may bear more lightly your own troubles." Looking over the list of employees in the lower house of the legislature we find no descendants of Ham enrolled.

William Green was in Helena for a few days' visit with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Andrew Green. "Will" is now a budding magnate of Anaconda.

Mrs. J. A. Calendar of Great Falls, is in the city.

The ladies of the Missionary Society of Ebenezer Baptist church, held a reading on the life of Christ last Friday evening. After the program was rendered to a good attendance, light refreshments were served.

Andrew Green, who has been on the sick list for the past two weeks, is able to be about again.

B. F. Hooper, one of our oldest and most prominent citizens, who has been ailing for some time, was taken to St. Peter's hospital on the 18th.

Miss Anna Bell Crump, who has been making her home with her grandmother, Mrs. Charles Oliver, for several years, left on the 17th for Kansas City, Mo., to reside with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Albert Crump.

The Pleasant Hour Club was the guest of Mrs. Judge D. Hart, on the 15th. The members listened to a paper on "The Home," by Mrs. H. J. Baker, which called forth considerable discussion. The club has decided to affiliate with the Washington State Federation of clubs. Refreshments were served by the hostess.

A jolly gathering of young folks as the guest of Miss Alice Fisher at her home, 915 Canino street, on the 13th, was a feature of social events during the past week. A good lot of merriment was created over a candy pulling contest in which the following participated: Misses Cora Soules, Mildred Christian and Ethel Fisher, and Masters Eugene Marshall, Leonard Brown, Theodore Johnson and Mr. Robert Brown.

It begins to look very much as if the contest for seats in the lower house of the legislature by the nine republicans from Silver Bow county, of which our friend, Jones, is the paper familiar, will be a contest in vain. Something like 1,500 fraudulent votes are alleged to have been cast by the democrats.

A telegram received in Helena last Friday announced the wedding of Sgt. Will A. Hilliard of the 25th Inf. Co. L. to Miss Kate Brown of this city. The marriage took place at Nogales, Ariz., on the 16th at 3 o'clock in the afternoon. Miss Brown arrived in company with her step-mother, on the morning train and arrangements having already been completed the marriage was solemnized in the presence of a few of the groom's personal friends. Miss Brown was born at Fort Meade, S. D., coming to Helena when quite young with her parents, Robert and Maggie Brown, of Hampton, Va. The bride attended the public schools of Helena and has a wide circle of friends. She is a proficient modiste and counted among her patrons some of the lead-

ers of Helena's exclusive set.

Helena's contribution to the fund for the delegation to France was \$28.50. Naomi Lodge No. 842, Household of Ruth, held their election on the 14th and elected the following officers: Louise Harrison, M. N. G.; Minnie Miller, R. N. G.; Clarinda Lowery, W. R.; Georgia Irvin, W. S.; Sarah Ford, P. N. G.; Cora Johnson, W. T.; Ella Anderson, W. P.; Emma Blanks, W. S.; Mabel Stitz, W. C.; Mattie McGinnis, R. S. of M. N. G.; Nanie Reid, L. S. of M. N. G.; Mattie Simmons, R. S. of R. N. G.; Jane Crump, L. S. of R. N. G.; Mamie Bridgewater, W. U.

The aMtron's Administrative Degree was conferred upon Mrs. Jefferson Harrison on Monday evening the 13th, by Past Patrons M. O. J. Arnett, Spencer Smith and Past Matron Sarah Ford, in the presence of the following past officers: Louise Walker, Effie Baker, Julia Parsons and Mary E. Clarke. After the impressive ceremonies light refreshments were served.

MANHATTAN, KANSAS.

Mrs. Haydee Campbell, our War Camp Community worker, assisted by Mrs. Sam Carey chaperoned our college girls to Ft. Riley Saturday evening to a party given by the members of the Mounted Service School. A very enjoyable time was indulged in, returning on the midnight car.

A Memorial Service in honor of Theodore Roosevelt will be held under the direction of Community and Soldiers of Funston and Ft. Riley Wednesday, January 29th. Mr. Ed. Scott of this city called together all of the Negro men of Manhattan on the 16th and organized the Negro Citizen's Club.

The purpose of the organization is to keep the home fires burning while our boys are fighting for World Democracy. Rev. and Mrs. Ralston of the Second Baptist Church and Rev. and Mrs. Henderson of the A. M. E. Church were dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. Alfred Montgomery Sunday.

Mrs. Campbell, who has been stationed here by the War Camp Community Service with the citizens of Manhattan, had a pleasant evening with the soldiers Friday, January 17.

Mr. M. Dillard worshipped at Wamega, Kans., Sunday. Rev. Henderson held services at Wamega and Mr. Oscar Pryor, a sinner, was happily converted.

WELLINGTON, MO.

Rev. C. A. Long, pastor of the A. M. E. church, a splendid young man and a successful pastor, has just closed one of the greatest and most successful revival Wellington has had in many a year. Mrs. Blanche Blake began preaching here January 1st. Mrs. Blake is a wonderful preacher and a sweet singer. Through her preaching and singing she has turned many sinners. The whole town has been stirred through her wonderful sermons. She will preach her last sermon here Tuesday night, January 14th in the Union Hall; a special service to the miners. We hate to see Sister Blake, this great evangelist, leave our town. The world should hear Mrs. Blake. Sister Blake is expecting to leave here for Lexington to begin meeting for Rev. Smith.

Wellington lost one of the oldest and faithful members of the M. E. church, old Mother Frie, aged 103 years.

Rev. C. A. Long is doing great work here and is loved by everybody, white and colored. All the ministers of the Southwest Missouri Conference should know the worth of Mrs. Blake. She is really a soul saver.

MARYVILLE, MO.

Mrs. Frances Johnson returned to Kansas City, Mo., Friday. The social at the A. M. E. Church was well attended Thursday evening. Women's Mite Missionary will meet at the residence of Mrs. Ryan Friday afternoon. A dainty luncheon was served. Mrs. Mary Ousley was elected president; Mrs. Luella Anderson, vice-president; Mrs. Ethel Cook, recording secretary; Mrs. Lucy Williams, assistant secretary; Mrs. Bryant, corresponding secretary; Mrs. Malcom, treasurer; Mrs. Gooden.

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PART OF 92ND DIVISION WILL ARRIVE MONDAY.

New York, N. Y., Jan. 16.—The transport Atenas is due here on Sunday, January 19, with a detachment of headquarters troops from the 92nd Division. The rest of the division is reported still at Marbach about twelve miles northwest of Nancy.